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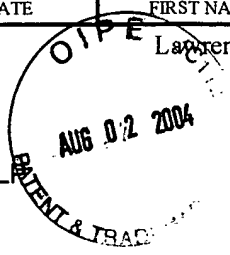
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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing.
Applicant must submit \$ 770 to complete the basic filing fee for a non-small entity. If appropriate, applicant may make a written assertion of entitlement to small entity status and pay the small entity filing fee (37 CFR 1.27).
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:Total additional fee(s) required for this application is **\$900** for a Large Entity

- **\$770** Statutory basic filing fee.
- **\$130** Late oath or declaration Surcharge.

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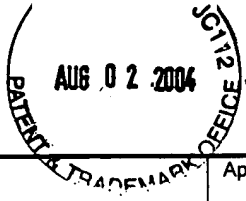
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| Application Number | 10/810,325 |
| Filing Date | March 25, 2004 |
| First Named Inventor | McGee, Lawrence R. |
| Art Unit | 1614 |
| Examiner Name | |
| Attorney Docket Number | 018781-002730US |
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| Firm or Individual name | Townsend and Townsend and Crew LLP Frank J. Mycroft | Reg. No. 46,946 |
| Signature | | |
| Date | July 28, 2004 | |

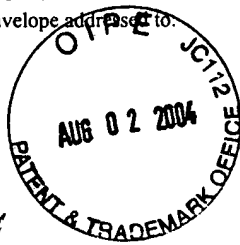
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In re application of:

Lawrence R. McGee, et al.

Application No.: 10/810,325

Filed: March 25, 2004

For: COMPOUNDS FOR THE
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Examiner:

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Sir:

Pursuant to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, dated June 7, 2004, enclosed are the following to be made of record in the above-identified application:

- 1) Information Disclosure Statement Under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98
- 2) Copy of Notice of Missing Parts

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| Large Entity: | (a) | Filing Fee (§ 1.16(a)) (Large Entity) | \$770 |
| | (b) | Excess Claims Fees (§ 1.16(b), (c)): | |
| | | 54 - 20 = 34 | x \$18 = \$612 |
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| | (d) | Missing Parts Surcharge | \$130 |
| TOTAL FEES TO BE CHARGED | | | \$1512 |

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Respectfully submitted,



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